

**Minutes of Ridlington Parish Council Planning Meeting
Held on Monday 9th March 2020
At Ridlington Village Hall**

Attendance	Cllr. D Johnson – Chairman Cllr. D Roome Cllr. D Thatcher Cllr. J Richardson Helen Duckering – clerk
Apologies	Cllr. Lees
Item	Actions
2020/17	The meeting opened at 7.00pm
2020/18	Declarations of member's interests None
2020/19	<p>To consider planning application 2020/0055/CAT St Mary Magdelene and St Andrews Church, Main Street. (Tree 1) 1 no. Lebanese Cedar – Prune 1 no. branch overhanging main church path by 2.5 metres. (Tree 2 and 3) 2 no. Yew – Reduce height by 2.5 metres and width reduction around each tree by 1 metre. (Tree 4) 1 no. Hornbeam – Prune 1 no. lowest branch by 2 metres where it overhangs Main Street, prune 2 no. lowest branches overhanging the churchyard by 1 metre. (Trees 5,6 and 7) Species unknown – cut down and remove. (Tree 8) 1 no. Laurel – Prune all lowest branches 1 metre to clear the path and churchyard.</p> <p>There are no objections to the proposed works being completed subject to the following concerns being addressed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There is concern regarding the proximity of a main power cable to the Yew trees. Safety issues must be addressed and appropriate measures taken prior to any work being completed. • A professional arboriculturalist should complete all works. • All work should be completed outside of the nesting season. <p>No objections, subject to above concerns being addressed.</p> <p>All in favour.</p>
2020/20	<p>To consider planning application 2020/0235/CAT The Old Mill Barn, Holygate Road. Removal of 1 Oak Tree.</p> <p>There are no objections to the removal of the Oak tree, provided that a suitable native tree is planted to replace it.</p> <p>All in favour.</p>
2020/21	The meeting closed at 7.15pm.